PLANT FACT SHEET

Imperata spp.

GENUS *Imperata* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Kogon

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

The unopened flower is eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A grass.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

NOTES

There are 6-10 Imperata species.

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